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Application of:

Erik Laridon et al.

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For:

**THERMOPLASTIC ARTICLES
COMPRISING SILVER-CONTAINING
ANTIMICROBIALS...**

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Group Art Unit: 1617

Examiner: Wang, S.

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL REJECTION

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 13, 2003, Applicants herein submit the following
amendments and remarks: